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In re Application of:) PATENT
K. SALZGEBER *et al.*) GROUP:
Serial No.: 10/563,823) EXAMINER:
Filed: February 27, 2006) CUSTOMER NO.: 25269
INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE) CONFIRMATION NO.:

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to initial evaluation, please amend this application as follows: